

## HB 1879 -- Disability History and Awareness Month

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This bill designates October as "Disability History and Awareness Month" in all public schools and requires each school board to annually provide instruction on the topic during the month. The bill specifies the elements of disability history, provides methods for integrating the topic into existing curricula, and establishes goals for the program. Higher education institutions are encouraged to conduct and promote activities on their campuses that provide education, understanding, and awareness of individuals with disabilities.